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September 23, 2003

Tennessee Regulatory Authority Ron Jones, Director 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

RE: Workshop to Gather Information from the Telecommunications Industry Related to Preventing Violations of Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114

Dear Mr. Jones:

In response to your Notice of Filing dated September 16, 2003, please be aware that Universal Access, Inc. is a provider of private line, data only circuits. We do not currently provide any dial-tone or voice services. It is our understanding that Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114 would not apply to us, as our customers do not make telephone calls in the traditional sense.

Thank you for your attention to this response; please contact me with any comments or questions at (888) 747-1744 x5072 regarding this information.

Yours truly,

Christina Tygielski

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